

Programme

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All speakers confirmed unless otherwise stated.

Austrian EU-Presidency conference Finance 5.0 – a challenge for cyber security?

#CyberFinSecAT18

July 16, 2018
Auditorium of the National Bank of Belgium
Brussels

CONFERENCE ASPECTS

Digital transformation is fully under way. All business sectors, and specifically the financial sector, increasingly rely on digital infrastructures. The digital revolution changes the way people, companies and governments interact. Despite its many positive effects, it will also increase vulnerabilities. The number of cyberattacks has risen significantly and the economic damage caused by cybercrime increased by the factor five in the last five years.

The **financial sector** has been a **driver of technological innovation** (upscaling critical market infrastructures like payment systems, developing crypto currencies etc.) while being a frontrunner on **security standards**. Digital disruption affects banks' business models, regulatory and legal frameworks; it also renders the financial sector more vulnerable to cyber risks, thus impacting on economic and financial stability.

Building on the European Commission's Cyber Security Package (2017) and the Fintech Action Plan (2018), **Austria's EU Council Presidency** will concentrate on finalizing the Cybersecurity Act and on agreeing on cyber resilience measures in various sectors. With its conclusions, this conference aims at feeding into EU policy-making balancing security, innovation and regulation.

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9:15 a.m. Registration and coffee/tea

9:45 a.m. **Opening remarks**

Elisabeth Kornfeind

Ambassador of the Republic of Austria to the Kingdom of Belgium and
Head of the Mission of Austria to NATO

Jan Smets

Governor

Nationale Bank van België/Banque Nationale de Belgique

10:00 a.m. **Panel 1**

Cyber technologies – a challenge for regulators and supervisors?

Setting the scene

Jordan Georgiev

Managing Director

JKG Advisory

Chair

Jennifer Baker

Journalist

Panellists

Hannes Cizek

Head of Group Digital Banking

Raiffeisen Bank International AG

Peter Kerstens

Advisor, DG Financial Stability, Financial Services and

Capital Markets Union

European Commission

Giuseppe Siani

Deputy Director General, DG Microprudential Supervision IV

Single Supervisory Mechanism / European Central Bank

11:45 a.m. Coffee break

12:00 noon

Panel 2

Cyber security – threats to businesses and state bodies?

Setting the scene

Andreas Falkenberg

Security Consultant, White-Hat Hacker
SEC Consult / Post Telecom Luxembourg

Chair

Christina Kubecka

CEO, Security Researcher
HypaSec.

Panellists

Philipp Amann

Head of Strategy
European Cybercrime Centre, Europol

Stefano Ciminelli

Deputy Central Information Security Officer
SWIFT

Karel Lannoo

Chief Executive Officer
Centre for European Policy Studies

Despina Spanou

Director for Digital Society, Trust and Cybersecurity
DG Communications Networks, Content and Technology, European
Commission

1:45 p.m.

Networking lunch

- 3:00 p.m. **High-level panel**
Cyber resilience and the financial sector – how to reach an EU policy that balances security, innovation and regulation?
- Chair
Thomas Wieser
Former Chair of the Eurogroup Working Group
- Panellists
Karoline Edtstadler
State Secretary
Austrian Federal Ministry of the Interior
- Tim Hermans**
Director
Nationale Bank van België/Banque Nationale de Belgique
- Sir Julian King**
Commissioner for the Security Union
European Commission
- Ewald Nowotny**
Governor
Oesterreichische Nationalbank
- Eva Schulz-Kamm**
Senior Vice President & Head of Global Government Affairs
Siemens AG
- 4:30 p.m. **Closing remarks and take-aways**
Thomas Wieser
- 5:00 p.m. **Evening event**
- Introductory remarks
Nicole Bayer
Director General
Austrian Federal Chancellery
- 5:10 p.m. **Reading and discussion**
- Marc Elsberg**
Best-selling author of *Blackout*
- 6:15 p.m. Networking reception

This programme is subject to change. Speakers and panelists are listed in alphabetical order.

Please note that the Austrian EU Council Presidency (OeNB, BKA) will take pictures and/or will make audio recording and/or videos of participants during the conference and may use them in their online or offline media.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Venue for conference and evening event

Auditorium of the National Bank of Belgium
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